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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. John M. Maury, Legislative Counsel

SUBJECT:

Senator Case's Inquiries Regarding RFE, Radio Liberty and the Status of the Katzenbach Recommendations

- 1. Attachment 1 is a briefing paper that Assistant Secretary Abshire intends to use with Senator Case when he can get a private appointment with him. This paper has been fully coordinated with us and up the line to Alexis Johnson in the Department.
- 2. Attachment 2 is a letter in reply to Senator Case's separate query regarding the Katzenbach recommendations on which we have coordinated and with which we have no problem.
- 3. I should add that both the Department and USIA Director Shakespeare have been entirely cooperative and positive in their handling of this problem with us. I will let you know promptly if Senator Case has any further questions after Abshire has met with him.

Cord Meyer, Jn.
Acting Deputy Director for Plans

Attachments

- 1. Briefing paper dtd Oct 30, 1970
- 2. Mr. Abshire's ltr to Senator Case

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